
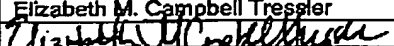


MAR 13 2006

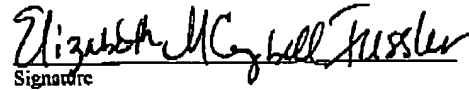
<b>TRANSMITTAL FORM</b>		Application Number		09/901,804				
		Filing Date		July 10, 2001				
		First Named Inventor		Michael Robert Smialek				
		Art Unit		2163				
		Examiner Name		Uyen T. Le				
Total Number of Pages in This Submission		9	Attorney Docket Number		086328-9004			
<b>ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)</b>			<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</b>					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply – 8 pages <input type="checkbox"/> Before Final <input type="checkbox"/> After Final <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/Declarations <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement <input type="checkbox"/> PTO-1449 Form(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Cited References <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document <input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts/Incomplete Application <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer <input type="checkbox"/> Submission of Formal Drawings <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant(s) claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27. <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant(s) petitions for a one-month extension of time and pay the fee of \$60.00 (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)-(5)). <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant(s) believes that no petition for an extension of time is necessary (37 CFR 1.36(c)); however, applicant(s) hereby petition for sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely.					
<b>CLAIMS FEES</b>								
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No additional claim fee is required.								
				Small Entity		Large Entity		
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims Present	Rate	Addit. Claim Fee	Rate	Addit. Claim Fee
Total	15	-	20	=0	x 25=	\$0	x 50=	\$0
Independent	3	-	3	=0	x 100=	\$0	x 200=	\$0
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Multiple Claim					+ 180=	\$0	+ 360=	\$0
<b>FEES</b>								
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional Claim Fee							\$0.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Extension fee for one-month							\$0.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement							\$0.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Surcharge for Missing Parts – Declaration							\$0.00	
<input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer							\$0.00	
<b>TOTAL FEES</b>							<b>\$0.00</b>	
<b>PAYMENT OF FEES</b>								
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ 0.00 is enclosed.								
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-1965.								
<input type="checkbox"/> The Director is authorized to charge Deposit Account Number 50-1965 in the amount of \$0.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is attached for this purpose.								
<b>SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY</b>								
Susan D. Reinecke, Reg. No. 40,198 MICHAEL BEST & FRIEDRICH LLP Two Prudential Plaza 180 North Stetson Avenue Suite 2000 Chicago, IL 60601-6710 Telephone: (312) 222-0800 Facsimile: (312) 222-0818					 Signature  Date: March 13, 2006			
<b>CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING</b>								
I hereby certify that this correspondence is:								
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO, facsimile number (571) 273-8300.								
<input type="checkbox"/> deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below								
Typed or printed name				Elizabeth M. Campbell Tressler				
Signature								
				Date: March 13, 2006				

MAR 13 2006

IN THE  
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor: Michael Robert Smialek  
Appl. No.: 09/901,804  
Confirmation No.: 7915  
Filed: July 10, 2001  
Title: "UNIVERSAL DATA  
EDITOR"  
Art Unit: 2163  
Examiner: Uyen T. Le  
Atty Docket No.: 086328-9004

I, Elizabeth M. Campbell Tressler, hereby certify  
that this correspondence is being facsimile  
transmitted to the USPTO, facsimile number (571)  
273-8300, on the date shown below.

  
Signature

3/13/2006  
Date of Signature

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Via Facsimile Transmission (571) 273-8300  
Mail Stop: Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 12, 2006 in connection with the above-identified patent application (the "Pending Application"), the following amendments and remarks are hereby submitted.

**Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.**

**Remarks begin on page 7.**

**Conclusion begins on page 8 of this paper.**